

February 23-25 2007

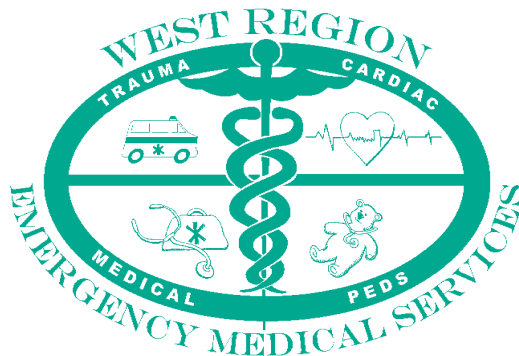


WEST REGION EMS CONFERENCE

Grays Harbor, Lewis, N. Pacific, Pierce & Thurston Counties

Ocean Shores Convention Center ~ Ocean Shores, WA

AN EDUCATIONAL SEMINAR FOR ALL HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS INVOLVED IN EMERGENCY CARE



FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23 — PRE-CONFERENCE

Prevention Workshop	8:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.
EMS Instructor Workshop	9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
EMS Leadership Workshop	9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
BLS Workshop	1:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
ALS Workshop	1:30 p.m. – 4:45 p.m.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24 — CONFERENCE ACTIVITIES

General Session	8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
BLS Session	1:30 p.m. – 5:15 p.m.
ALS Session	1:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Vendor Fair at the Convention Center 10:00 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.

Appetizers 5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

Dance at the Shilo Inn 9:00 p.m. – 1:00 a.m.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 25 — CONFERENCE ACTIVITIES

General Session	9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
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CONFERENCE SPONSORS

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FRIDAY, February 23 (Morning)

PREVENTION WORKSHOP

8:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

8:00 a.m. - Welcome

Darrol Steiner, West Region EMS Council Member

8:15 a.m. - 9:15 a.m.

Efficient & Fast Internet Searches

Finding injury prevention resources, information & funding sources on the internet; completing efficient & targeted “Google” searches.

Maryanne Blake, MLS

9:15 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.

“It takes a Village” to Prevent Senior Falls

Starting a senior falls prevention program with limited resources. What’s working in Washington State. How to talk about falls with older adults. Coordinating a community falls prevention event and where to find educational resources.

Sally York, MN, RNC

10:15 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. Break

TIMELY TOPICS

10:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

211 Informational & Referral Hotline

211 is an integrated system that provides simple access to a variety of essential services people need to lead healthier, more productive lives. 211 is serving over 185 million Americans and is currently being activated in portions of Washington State. Learn how to use this valuable resource in the field.

Matt Hornyak

11:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Know the Hidden Dangers

What simple thing can parents do that would assure their child is 40% safer in the car? What is “Twinkie Physics”? What are the consequences of sharing used car seats and how can it be done safely? Learn the changes in Washington’s Child Restraint Law effective June 1, 2007.

Kathy Kruger

EMS LEADERSHIP WORKSHOP

9:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon

Visions, Goals and Philosophies

How to help take your organization to places you never dreamed.

Chief Paul Webb & Ken Sharp

EMS INSTRUCTOR WORKSHOP

9:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon

9:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

Shaping Student Performance

Getting the most out of students can be one of the most challenging aspects of teaching. This fun and fast moving class offers up strategies for improving student success along with documentation tips. Good information for all levels of instructors.

Mike Smith, BS, MICP

10:30 a.m. - 10:45 a.m. Break

10:45 a.m. - 12:00 noon

Evaluator or Educator... Which One Are You?

During the course of a CBT/OTEP skills practical, there is a place for both evaluator and educator... but NOT at the same time. Be a part of this discussion that defines the roles of each position and when they apply to the student during recertification.

Mike Helbock, MICP, NREMT-P

Registration is open from 7:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. at the Convention Center.
Continental Breakfast 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 a.m. at the Convention Center.

FRIDAY, February 23 (Afternoon)

ALS WORKSHOP

1:30 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.

1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Challenging ALS Case Presentations

Come be a part of this interactive session using current case scenarios geared to the ALS level.

William Hurley, MD

3:00 p.m. - 3:15 p.m. *Break*

3:15 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.

A & P for EMT-P's: 101 Things that were *not* included in your EMT-P or A & P Textbooks

This will be a fast paced overview of field observations combined with physiologic explanations. This information may provide you with some unique insights into your patients' conditions, or it may in fact influence the care you provide.

Adam Glaser, BS, EMT-P, FP-C

BLS WORKSHOP

1:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Pediatric Emergencies

Dr. Walkley, EMS/Base Station Physician Director at Mary Bridge Children's Hospital, addresses prehospital treatment of the pediatric patient.

Ted Walkley, MD

3:00 p.m. - 3:15 p.m. *Break*

3:15 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Challenging BLS Case Presentations

Come and be a part of this interactive session where real life scenarios will be presented.

William Hurley, MD

SPEAKERS

Maryanne Blake, MLS, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington

Eileen Bulger, MD, Harborview Medical Center, Seattle, Washington

Scott Cooper, FF, EMT-P, Marion County Fire District #1, Salem, Oregon

Mickey Eisenberg, MD, King County EMS, Seattle, Washington

Richard Emmett, MBBS, MRCA, Harborview Medical Center, Seattle, Washington

Adam Glaser, BS, EMT-P, FP-C, Oregon LifeFlight Network, Tualatin, Oregon

Mike Helbock, MICP, NREMT-P, King County Medic One, Seattle, Washington

Matt Hornyak, Behavioral Health Resources, Olympia, Washington

William Hurley, MD, Providence St. Peter Hospital, Olympia, Washington

Kathy Kruger, Washington State Safety Restraint Coalition, Kirkland, Washington

Captain Marty La Fave, City of Bellevue Fire Department, Bellevue, Washington

Barry Long, Talk and Roll Enterprises, Bellevue, Washington

James Martin, MD, FACEP, NW Emergency Physicians Association, Anacortes, Washington

Special Agent Kera O'Reilly, FBI – Evidence Response Team, Seattle, Washington

Linda Quan, MD, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington

Assistant Chief Ken Sharp, Lakewood Fire District #2, Lakewood, Washington

Mike Smith, BS, MICP, Tacoma Community College, Tacoma, Washington

Ted Walkley, MD, FAAP, FACEP, Mary Bridge Children's Hospital, Tacoma, Washington

Chief Paul Webb, Lakewood Fire District #2, Lakewood, Washington

Special Agent Leland Yates, FBI – Evidence Response Team, Seattle, Washington

Sally York, MN, RNC, NorthWest Orthopaedic Institute, Tacoma, Washington

SATURDAY, February 24

GENERAL SESSION

8:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon

8:00 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.

Welcome & Opening Ceremonies

Mike Helbock, Master of Ceremonies

8:45 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.

From ICU to Bungee Cord: A Wheelchair's Journey!

This presentation is a patient's story of recovery; highlighting those in the EMS community and how they assisted in his recovery.

Barry Long

10:15 a.m. - 10:30 p.m. Break

10:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Child Abuse and the Prehospital Care Provider

What are the physical signs of child abuse? Why should a provider suspect child abuse? What information should be reported, when, and to whom? What are the pitfalls in dealing with child abuse situations?

Linda Quan, MD

BLS SESSION

1:30 p.m. - 5:15 p.m.

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Art and Science of Patient Assessment

Updated for 2006, this popular program focuses on how to provide a higher level and more productive patient assessment. This practical, take-it-home-and-use-it-tomorrow session works for all levels of prehospital providers.

Mike Smith, BS, MICP

2:30 p.m. - 2:45 p.m. Break

2:45 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

EMS Everything and Everything EMS

Geared toward EMT-Basics and Intermediates, here is an opportunity to attend a session that offers you the same variety you encounter in the field. Instead of focusing on one topic, Mr. Cooper will address many subjects of use to your assessment, care and interactions with other people in the field and behind the scenes.

Scott Cooper, EMT-P, FF

4:00 p.m. - 4:15 p.m. Break

4:15 p.m. - 5:15 p.m.

Syncope and Seizures, the Rest of the Story

Although these are common EMS calls, we didn't spend a lot of time learning about them in EMT training. This fast-paced presentation is focused at the EMT level and will cover the finer details of syncope and seizures. We will discuss various causes, detailed examinations and patient care options. Case scenarios will help the EMT focus on sorting the severity of the patient.

Marty La Fave

CONTINUING EDUCATION

Indicate the type of certification you need on the registration form.

CME for EMS providers — Continuing Medical Education authorized through your county Medical Program Director. Certified through West Region Council.

CECH for educators — Continuing Education Clock Hours authorized by Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction.

CE for other professionals — Continuing Education certificate available for other professions. Certified through West Region Council.

ALS SESSION

1:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Thoracic Trauma: Prehospital Care of the Trauma Patient

This talk will review the diagnosis and management of thoracic injury in the acute setting. Specific focus will be on life threatening chest injuries such as tension pneumothorax, massive hemothorax, major airway injury and cardiac tamponade.

Eileen Bulger, MD

2:30 p.m. – 2:45 p.m. Break

2:45 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.

Emergency Application of Hyperbaric Oxygen

Field treatments for carbon monoxide poisoning, decompression sickness and reperfusion injuries.

James Martin, MD, FACEP

3:45 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Break

4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Assessing and Managing the Difficult Airway

A look at what's new and what's relevant: easing the transition from pre-hospital to ER to OR.

Richard Emmett, MBBS, MRCA

VENDOR FAIR

Convention Center

10 a.m.–6:30 p.m. Saturday

There will be a wide variety of vendors with products of interest to EMS providers.

Bring the raffle ticket found in your registration packet to the Vendor Fair, and see if you won a prize.

APPETIZERS

5:00 p.m.–6:30 p.m. Saturday

Come enjoy appetizers, no-host bar & good company at the Vendor Fair (dinner on your own).

DANCE

9:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m. Saturday

Shilo Inn Ballroom

Registration is open from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

**Continental Breakfast 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.
at the Convention Center.**

GENERAL SESSION

9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Crime Scene Preservation

The Seattle FBI's Evidence Response Team will discuss how first responders can assist law enforcement with crime scene preservation issues once immediate life and safety issues have been addressed.

Special Agents Kera O'Reilly & Leland Yates

10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. Break & Check Out

11:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon

Cardiac Resuscitation: What's New? What's Hot? What's Old? What's Cold?

New insights into cardiac suggest new approaches to cardiac resuscitation. Learn about the important interaction of CPR and defibrillation. “Shock fast and shock often” should be replaced with “shock wisely”. Learn about the latest from the ROC (Resuscitation Outcomes Consortium) and other developments in resuscitation research.

Micky Eisenberg, MD



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SCHOLARSHIPS

A limited number of conference tuition scholarships are available for providers in the West Region.

Applications are available from the West Region EMS office and online at:

www.wrems.com

Apply by January 31, 2007

Ocean Shores Visitor Information Center

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Quinault Beach Resort

1-888-461-2214

Quality Inn

360-289-2040

\$75 - \$125

Ramada Inn (INDOOR WATER PARK FOR KIDS)

866-671-7700

\$69 - \$199

Sands Resort (PETS ACCEPTED)

1-800-841-4001

Shilo Inn

(please call local number to ensure group rate)

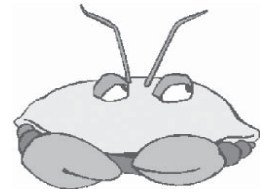
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A NOTE TO PARENTS

*The presentations are not appropriate for
children under the age of 16. To arrange for
childcare, please contact the Ocean Shores
Visitor Information Center or your hotel.*

PLEASE CHECK SESSION YOU WISH TO ATTEND AND TOTAL THE COST ON THE RIGHT.

Friday, Feb 23: Preconference Session

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Prevention Workshop: | 8:00-11:30 | \$30 | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> EMS Instructor Workshop: | 9:00-12:00 | \$30 | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> EMS Leadership Workshop: | 9:00-12:00 | \$30 | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ALS Workshop: | 1:30-4:45 | \$30 | \$ _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> BLS Workshop: | 1:30-5:00 | \$30 | \$ _____ |

Saturday, Feb. 24 & Sunday, Feb. 25: Main Conference

- ☐ EMS Conference: Received by February 2 \$115 \$ _____
Received after February 2 \$130
- ☐ ALS ☐ BLS Please mark preferred session for Saturday afternoon.

Did you attend 2006 EMS Conference? ☐ Yes ☐ No

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No refunds after 2/9/07. Substitutions are welcome—please inform us in advance.

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Driving Directions

From Seattle:

- ☞ Approximate driving time 2.5 hours
- ☞ Go SOUTH on I-5 to Olympia
- ☞ At Olympia take Exit 104 (Aberdeen, Ocean Beaches) to Hwy 101 North
- ☞ Hwy 101 North turns into Hwy 8 West, and then at Elma changes to Hwy 12 West

Aberdeen	23
Bellingham	216
Chehalis	80
Ellensburg	221
Everett	157
Olympia	72
Port Angeles	143
Portland	165

From Portland:

- ☞ Approximate driving time 2.5 hours
- ☞ Head NORTH on I-5
- ☞ Take Exit 88B to Elma and turn left onto Hwy 12 West



Pullman	399
Seattle	132
Spokane	391
Tacoma	102
Tri-Cities	305
Yakima	226

Upon reaching Aberdeen, follow the signs which take you to Highway 101 North (HOQUIAM and Ocean Beaches). DO NOT TAKE WESTPORT EXIT.

You should be in the left lane as you are crossing the Sumner Street Bridge in Hoquiam. You will curve to the right, and then at the 2nd traffic light you will turn left onto Highway 109 (OCEAN SHORES and Ocean Beaches.) The turn onto Highway 109 is about 6 blocks after the Hoquiam Farmer's Market or a block after the bridge.

Approximately 18 miles later, turn left off of Highway 109 at Hogan's Corner onto Highway 115 (OYEHUT/OCEAN SHORES).

Stay on Highway 115 until it turns into Damon Road as you curve to the right. Turn left into Ocean Shores through the stone gates on to Point Brown Ave. Go to the 4 way stop and turn right on Chance A La Mer. Proceed 3 blocks to the Shilo Inn. The Convention Center will be on your right as you approach the Shilo Inn.



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